Creation

Creation is defined as an action or process where something is brought into existence. Some people don't believe that God created the sun, the moon and the stars from absolutely nothing. Well, God is bigger than the universe and being the creator of all things, He can certainly make our little planet called earth. He can also create all the animals and mankind.

Many Jewish people and Christians believe that the earth was formed between four and six thousand years ago. Moses wrote about this in Genesis in around 1440 B.C. B.C. stands for "Before Christ", which would be the calendar moment of Zero. Some people have a problem with those who know creation to be true saying that the earth is 4 – 6 thousand years old. They think that from the study of Geology (rock formations and soil formations) that the earth is billions of years old. The problem with that is found in fossils. You see, people who don't believe in creation think that the earth was formed by asteroids crashing into each other and then water and wind moved the soil over billions of years to create what we see today.

Geologists say that the soil builds up at least 333' every million years in a given area. Fossils, fossils! They have been found frozen in rock layers from sudden death. The formation is of the entire animal, some in the process of being eaten by another animal. So, the Bible tells us about a flood. Scientists agree that a huge event like a flood could cause the animals to be frozen in the rock layers. Hmm!

More importantly we need to believe in God the creator and have faith that He is a God who loves us. We also know he expects us to be obedient.

We need to stay strong in our beliefs and learn how to defend those beliefs.

Scripture: Genesis 1:1 says, "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth."

Questions:

- 1. Who created the heavens and the earth?
- 2. Can someone convince you that the earth was created by accident when some rocks in space collided?
- 3. Can you tell your parents about the flood and how the flood froze the fossils in place?

Next Steps: Ask your parents to read the first 2 chapters of Genesis with you. It's a great story and its TRUE.